

Lesson 5.21 – 20th Century Music
Aaron Copland

Name: _____

1. Where was Aaron Copland raised? What is Copland's ancestry?
2. Name two types of music that influenced Copland as a youth?
3. Where did Copland go to study music in the early 1920's?
4. Who was Copland's composition teacher in Paris?
5. Name something that his Composition teacher assigned for him to do
6. *Music for the Theater*, features a solo for which instrument?
7. What led Copland to abandon jazz in 1927? What did he pursue beginning in 1928?
8. Why didn't the Boston Symphony play Copland's piece in 1929?
9. During the Great Depression, where did Copland go to find inspiration?
10. What music of Copland's did you enjoy the most?